

23-3425 the necessary extension fees identified in the attached Petition and any other fees necessary for entry of this amendment.

Please make the following amendments to the Application as set forth below.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as indicated below.

1. (Previously Presented) A multicomponent system comprising at least three components, comprising

(I) a component which is free from chlorinated polyolefins and is curable with polyisocyanates, comprising

(I.1) at least one binder containing isocyanate-reactive functional groups, and

(I.2) at least one organic solvent,

(II) a component free from binders (I.1), comprising

(II.1) at least one chlorinated polyolefin, and

(II.2) at least one organic solvent,

(III) a component comprising at least one polyisocyanate (III.1).

2. (Previously Presented) The multicomponent system as claimed in claim 1, wherein component (II) comprises, based on its total amount

(II.1) from 5 to 40% by weight of at least one chlorinated polyolefin, calculated as solids.

3. (Previously Presented) The multicomponent system as claimed in claim 2, wherein component (II) comprises, based on its total amount

(II.1) from 10 to 35% by weight of at least one chlorinated polyolefin.

4. (Previously Presented) The multicomponent system of claim 1, wherein the chlorinated polyolefin (II.1) comprises, based on its total amount, from 10 to 45% by weight of chlorine.

5. (Previously Presented) The multicomponent system of claim 4 wherein the chlorinated polyolefin (II.1) comprises, based on its total amount, from 15 to 20% by weight of chlorine.

6. (Canceled)

7. (Currently Amended) The multicomponent system as claimed in claim 6 1, wherein ~~the component (I) comprises at least one~~ additive (I.3) is selected from the group consisting of physically curable binders other than the above-described binders (I.1); pigments; molecularly dispersely soluble dyes; light stabilizers; antioxidants; wetting agents; emulsifiers; slip additives; antisetling agents; polymerization inhibitors; thermal crosslinking catalysts; thermolabile free-radical initiators; photoinitiators; photocoinitiators; adhesion promoters; leveling agents; film-forming auxiliaries; rheological aids; thickeners; pseudoplastic sag control agents; SCA; flame retardants; corrosion inhibitors; waxes, siccatives; biocides; r dulling agents; and mixtures thereof.

8. (Previously Presented) The multicomponent system of claim 1, wherein organic solvents (I.2) and (II.2) comprise isocyanate-reactive groups.

9. (Previously Presented) The multicomponent system of claim 1, wherein the isocyanate-reactive functional groups are selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl groups, thiol groups and primary and secondary amino groups.

10. (Previously Presented) The multicomponent system of claim 1, wherein component (III) comprises at least one inert organic solvent (III.2).

11. (Canceled)

12. (Previously Presented) A process for preparing the multicomponent system comprising at least three components of claim 1, comprising preparing components (I), (II) and (III) separately from one another by mixing their respective constituents and homogenizing the mixtures.

13. (Previously Presented) A method of coating a substrate comprising applying the multicomponent system of claim 1 to a substrate.

14. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the coating materials are prepared by mixing components (I), (II) and (III) and homogenizing the resulting mixtures.

15. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 12, wherein components (I), (II) and (III) are mixed with one another in a proportion such that in the resulting coating materials the equivalent ratio of isocyanate-reactive functional groups to isocyanate groups is from 1:2 to 2:1.

16. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 12, wherein the coating materials, based on their solids, contain from 0.5 to 15% by weight of at least one chlorinated polyolefin (II.1).

17. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the multicomponent system is an adhesion-promoting and/or energy-absorbing coating.

18. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the substrate comprises a surface coating comprising a thermoplastic or thermoset material.

19. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 17 wherein the multicomponent comprises an adhesion-promoting primer coating having a film thickness of up to 15 μm and the substrate comprises a plastic.

20. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 19 wherein the adhesion promoting primer coating has a film thickness of up to 10 μm .

21. (New) A multicomponent system, which is stable on storage, comprising at least three components, comprising

(I) a component which is free from chlorinated polyolefins and is curable with polyisocyanates, comprising

(I.1) 10 to 40%, by weight, based on the solids of component (I) of at least one binder containing isocyanate-reactive functional groups, and

(I.2) at least one organic solvent,

(II) a component free from binders (I.1), comprising

(II.1) 10 to 35% by weight of at least one chlorinated polyolefin, based on the total amount of Component (II), and

(II.2) at least one organic solvent,

(III) a component comprising at least one polyisocyanate (III.1);

wherein the chlorinated polyolefin (II.1) comprises, based on its total amount, from 10 to 45% by weight of chlorine and wherein components (I), (II), and (III) are anhydrous.

22. (New) The multicomponent system of claim 21 wherein the solvents in components (I), (II), and (III) comprise an ester and an aromatic solvent.